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TOPIC Military Information from the Jueterbog-Werder-Markendorf Area

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1. In the afternoon [redacted] an undetermined number of rocket launchers, [redacted] were loaded at the Jueterbog (L 51/H 76) railroad station for shipment toward Luckenwalde (1).

2. [redacted] the tank units in Camp Werder-Markendorf slept until 3 p.m. and subsequently left for night training. The training standards achieved were equal to those which had been attained in 1950 only in September at the end of the summer training period.

3. [redacted] five groups of 150 young soldiers each, who had received 4 to 6 months of training, arrived at Camp Sections No 2, 11, 13 and 14. Some of these soldiers [redacted] had acquired their good knowledge of German in school, and that they would improve it in camp while receiving training as tank gunners. (2)

4. The following observations were made on the camp sections listed:

Section No 2. Fifteen T-34/85 tanks were seen [redacted] (3) 25X1

Section No 12. About 150 troops were drilling [redacted] A waitress in the officer's mess [redacted] fed 120 officers. 25X1

Section No 15. The activities of recruits [redacted] included the assembly of 2 officers and about 70 men with red-bordered black epaulets at 8:45 a.m.; theoretical instruction with the aid of a map of Europe from 9 to 10:30 a.m.; field training with submachine guns from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; cleaning of weapons from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.; dinner, followed by theoretical instruction from 3 to 5 p.m. 25X1

5. [redacted] several newly arrived drivers who stated that they had been inducted only 5 months ago. They were inexperienced in driving. Most of the trucks were on blocks in the parking lots. Efforts were made to save fuel. (4)

6. [redacted]

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bordered black epaulets. (5)

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7. A truck convoy which passed through Schillerstrasse [redacted] coming from [redacted] the direction of Zina. [redacted] 25X1

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[redacted] of which towed AA guns and carried troops with red-bordered black epaulets; two trucks loaded with ammunition; and one truck with a canvas top which carried a ballistic director. (6)

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